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SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECT: AGRO-INDUSTRIAL PROJECT "MACEDONIA":

WINE PROCESSING AND BOTTLING PLANT

REF: A) BELGRADE 4661 (10/13/73), B) BELGRADE 4852 (10/26/73)

C) STATE 213028 (10/30/73) D) BELGRADE A-327 (6/20/74, E) BELGRADE
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1. SUMMARY: AS REPORTED IN REFTEL E) AGRO-INDUSTRIAL PROJECT
MACEDONIA HAS OPENED TENDERS FOR TURN KEY CONSTRUCTION OF A
CENTRAL PROCESSING AND BOTTLING PLANT FOR WINE, DISTILLED AL-
COHOLIC AND CARBONATED BEVERAGES IN YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF
MACEDONIA. PLANT WILL BE CONSTRUCTED IN SKOPJE, CAPITAL CITY OF
MACEDONIA, AND WILL PROCESS CRUDE WINE INTO FINISHED PASTEURIZED
WINE. PLANT WILL ALSO PRODUCE CARBONATED WINE AND CONCENTRATED GRAPE
JUICE. END SUMMARY

2. PROJECTED ANNUAL PRODUCTION

PRODUCT	QUANTITY IN H.Q.
RED AND WHITE TABLE WINE, BULK	160,000
RED AND WHITE TABLE WINE, BOTTLED	80,000

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HIGH QUALITY RED AND WHITE WINE, BULK 20,000

CARBONATED WINE 20,000

HIGH QUALITY RED AND WHITE WINE, BOTTLED 70,000

VIGNAC, BOTTLED (DOMESTIC BRANDY) 15,000

NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES 40,000

GRAPE HONEY IF NECESSARY

3. PLANT WILL CONSIST OF THE FOLLOWING BUILDINGS: A) WINE CELLAR, B) BOTTLING PLANT, C) VIGNAC PLANT, D) ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING AND CAFETERIA, E) GARAGE, F) WATCHMAN'S HOUSE, G) TRANSFORMER POWER STATION, AND H) BOILER ROOM

4. U.S. FIRMS INTERESTED IN BIDDING ON THIS PROJECT MAY WRITE TO BUSINESS ASSOCIATION "MAKEDONIJA VINO", 25 ZELEZNICKA STREET, 91000 SKOPJE, YUGOSLAVIA. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED NOT LATER THAN MARCH 31, 1975. TENDER DOCUMENTS HAVE BEEN FORWARDED UNDER COVER OF TRANSMITTAL SLIP.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY REQUESTS MEPD TO BRING THIS TURN KEY PROJECT TO THE ATTENTION OF APPROPRIATE U.S. FIRMS AND PROVIDE EMBASSY NAMES OF FIRMS WHICH INTEND TO BID ON PROJECT.
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